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Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action dated May 9, 2007, having a term for response without extension by August 9, 2007. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Amendments and Remarks.